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In re Application of Yoshihiro Yazawa et al.

Serial No.: 10/601,453

Filed: June 23, 2003

For: Fe-Cr ALLOY STRUCTURE WITH EXCELLENT CORROSION RESISTANCE AND EXCELLENT ADHESION, AND MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF

Mail Stop Amendment

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR §1.9 and §1.27 has been established.
 - A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §1.9 and §1.27 is enclosed.
 - No additional fee is required.

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SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	ADD'L FEE
x 25 =	\$
x 100 =	\$
	\$
+ 180 =	\$

OR

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RATE	ADD'L FEE
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x 200 =	\$
x 250 =	\$
+ 360 =	\$

OR \$ _____

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- Any filing fees under 37 CFR §1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.
- Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR §1.17 with the exception of the Issue Fee which we intend to pay by check.

Respectfully submitted,



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